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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Docket Number (Optional) 46884-5254 PETITION NEW EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) In re application of: Astunori TSUJI et al. Application No.: 10/719,062 Filed: November 24, 2003 For: METHOD OF INTRODUCING A SUBSTANCE INTO PLANT TISSUE Art Unit: 1655 Examiner: Susan B. McCormick-Ewoldt This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): Large Entity **Small Entity** \$ 60 XXOne month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ 120 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 450 \$ 225 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$ 510 \$ 795 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. XXA check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. \overline{XX} The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0573. A copy of this sheet is enclosed. I am the Applicant/inventor assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Signature Suzanne E. Ziska, Esq. Registration No. 43,371 Typed Name Date February 21, 2006

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are

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